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- About mid-Hovember 1948, the following political changes were made in Lenchuria upon Soviet instinction:
 - In the north a "People's Republic of Manchuria" was established under II li-san, with its capital at Harbin.
 - In the south a "Mortheast" government was set up with its capital at Lukden.
 - Kuantung was declared a "special territory."
 - The Inner Mongolian government remains unchanged.
- il. The Mukden government Intends to offer the presidency to Charc Hsuen-liang, if it can obtain his freedom. At present the government is run by four vicegrossidents: CHANG Hauch-shih, CHANG Tao-haiang, MA Chan-shen and WANG Fu-lin. the policy of this government is strongly provincial and only mildly communictic.
- 3. After the full of Lukden, CHAIN Tso-histong and MANG Fu-lin were sent by LIN Fiao to Poining, ostensibly to arrange for the repatriation of Manchurians. They stayed at the house of the Einister of Education, who is a close friend of TU Tso-yi.
- b. About 20 November, FU and another officer secretly met LIN Piac at Shenhaikuan. They discussed a possible North China government under FU and LIN, with the possible cooperation of YEN Hei-shan and General CHEN Yi.

